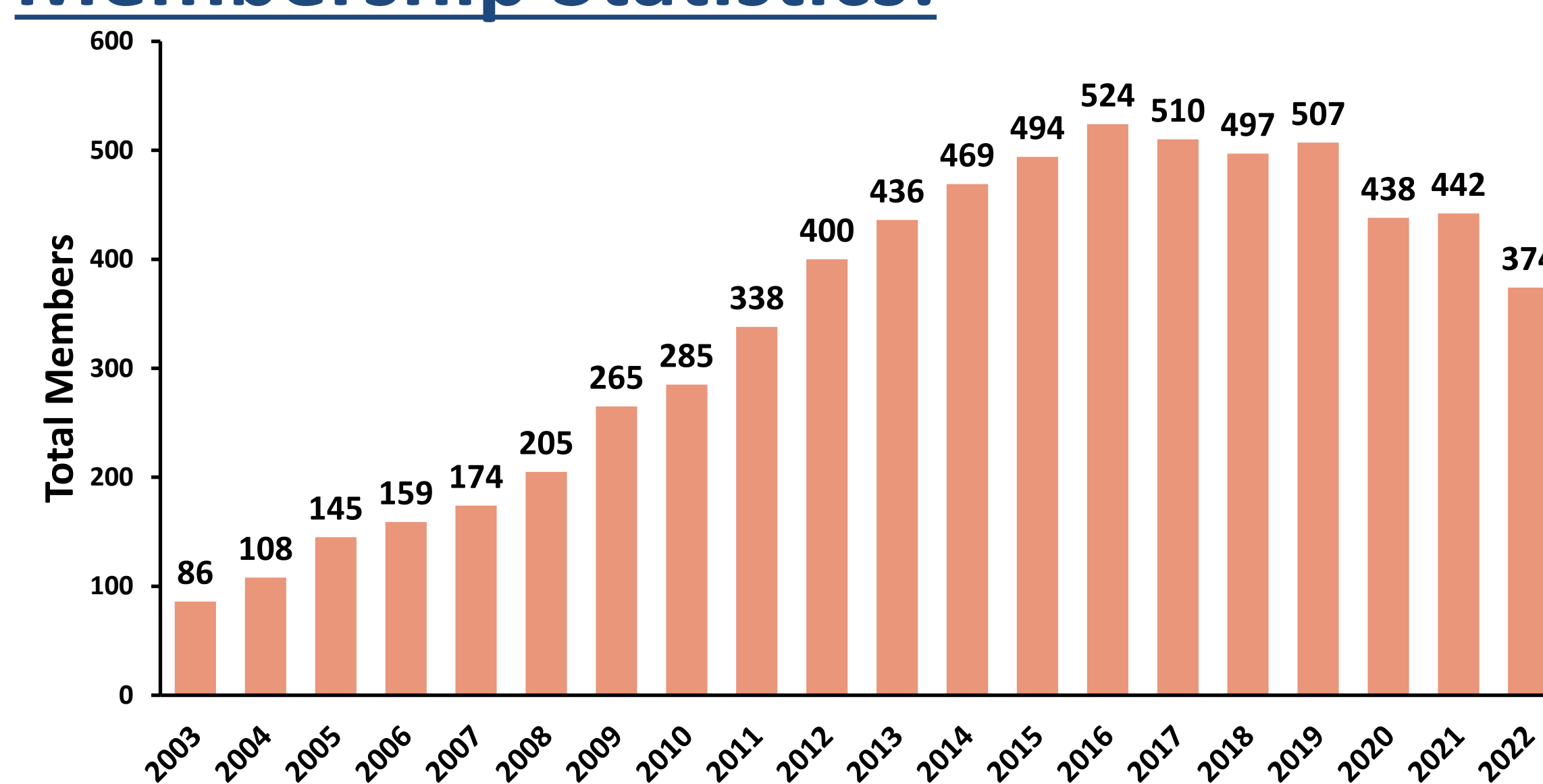


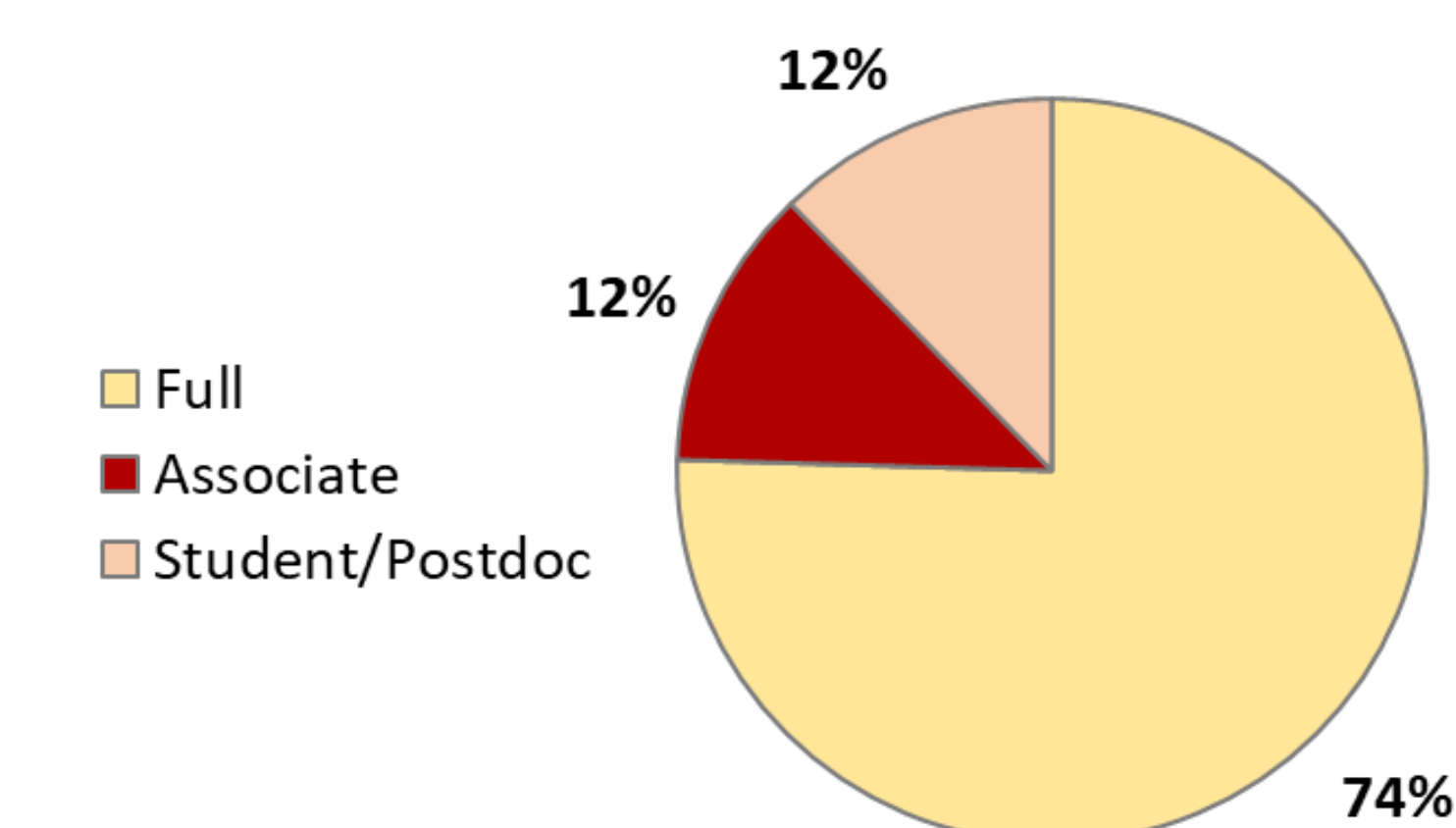
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- I. Encourage widespread use of *in vitro* and alternative methods to reduce, refine, and replace animal testing in toxicology
- II. Increase effectiveness of *in vitro* and alternative methods through emphasis on predictability and validation
- III. Inform and encourage growth of *in vitro* and alternative methods through programs and education activities on current and new developments
- IV. Serve as a resource to the Society of Toxicology and its members pertaining to all aspects of *in vitro* and alternative methods

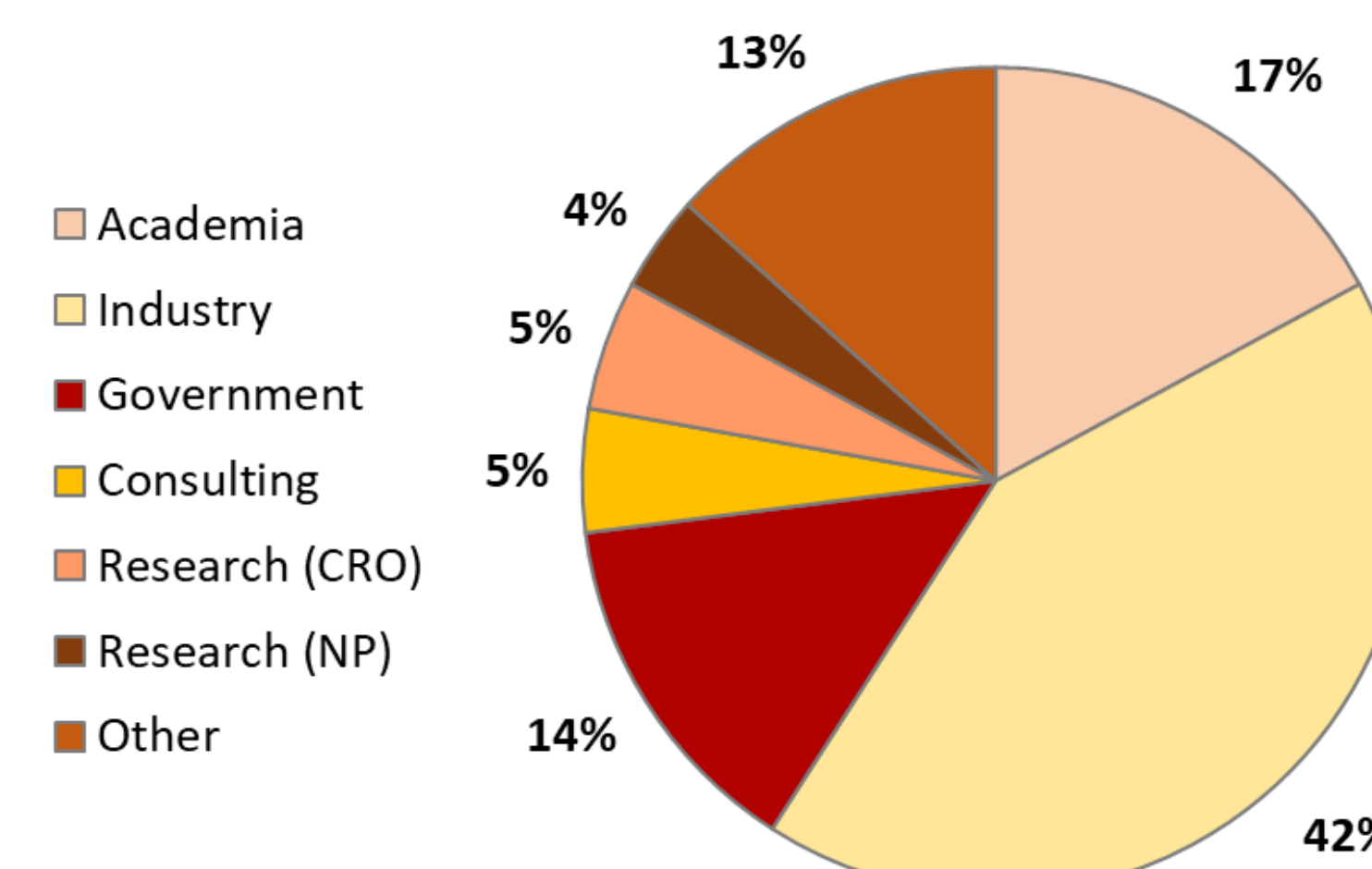
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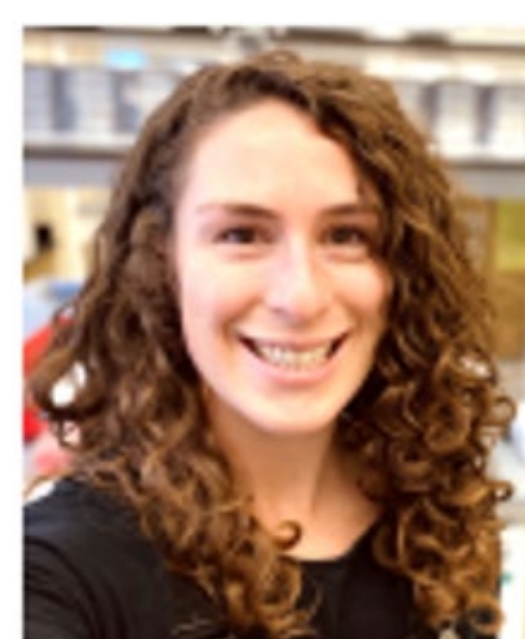
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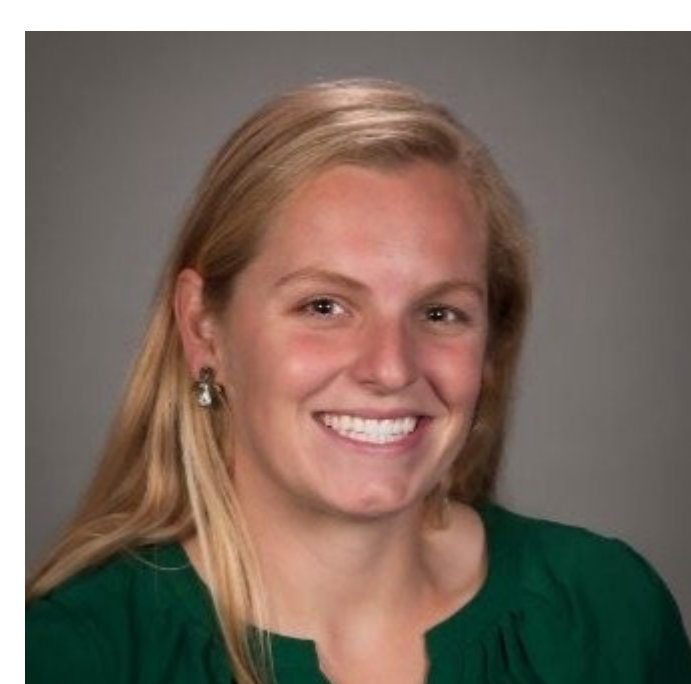
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### IVAM Reception:

Wednesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> from 6:00-7:30PM CST at the Omni Hotel

### IVAM Sponsored Events:

**Upcoming Webinar: Advancements within the field of predictive immunotoxicity: *in vitro* models for chemical safety (June 2023)**

IVAMSS welcomes suggestions from students, postdoctoral scholars and IVAMSS members for webinar topics for 2023/2024.

**Scan the QR code to fill out our webinar topics questionnaire**

Webinar recordings and information about upcoming webinars are available on the IVAM website (<https://www.toxicology.org/groups/ss/IVSS/Events.asp>)



### Student and Postdoctoral Awards:

IVAM encourages and appreciates the research conducted by student and post-docs by offering awards for posters related to *in vitro* toxicology. The award winners will be presented with an award certificate and a monetary award, up to \$1,000, at the virtual SOT meeting. This year, IVAM offered one graduate student award and one post-doctoral award.



### 2022 SOT Award Winners:

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Graduate Student Award: Sabina Burlă-Mihăescu**, Luxembourg Institute of Science and Technology, for “*An In Vitro Test System for the Prediction of Chemical Respiratory Sensitizers and Irritants.*”

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Postdoctoral Award: Anna Kreutz, PhD**, Oak Ridge Institute for Science & Education, for “*In vitro-in vivo extrapolation (IVIVE) for neurodevelopment: Toxicokinetics and in vitro point of departure evaluation of putative developmental neurotoxicants.*”

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Poster Award: Christian Pellevoisin, PhD**, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, for “*Pre-validation of SENS-IS assay for in vitro skin sensitization of medical devices.*”

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Elsevier Poster Award: Megan Culbreth, PhD**, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, for “*Optimization of an animal-component free system for high-throughput phenotypic profiling of human neural progenitor cells.*”